

## National EMS Week - May 17 - 23, 2020



### Friday - EMS Recognition Day

#### New and Current Guidance/Items of Interest

- **\*NEW\*** The North Dakota Division of Emergency Medical Systems participated in the 'Happy EMSC Day' video: Watch it [here](#). Just a small token of the true appreciation you all deserve!
- **\*NEW\*** We know you are all very busy, but we hope you took some time to celebrate yourselves and each other this week! Send us pictures and/or videos of how you celebrated EMS Week or EMSC Day! Email us at <mailto:dems@nd.gov>.
- "60 Seconds to Survival", a mass-casualty scene assessment and triage learning platform: find it [here](#).
- As of May 12, The National Registry is offering EMT and AEMT candidates the opportunity to take the official National Registry Cognitive (written) examination on their own computers at their home or office via new secure technology. Read about it [here](#).
- The Instructor Coordinator Refresher scheduled for Jamestown ND on June 4<sup>th</sup> has been postponed. If Instructor Coordinators have a certificate that expires June 30, 2020, the state of North Dakota will recognize them as active instructors until IC Coordinator refreshers are available.
- Interim AHA Guidelines for Reducing COVID-19 Transmission During Resuscitation in Pediatric Care

#### Links

- NDDOH Website <https://www.health.nd.gov/>
- CDC Website <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>
- International Critical Incident Stress Foundation COVID-19 Resources: <https://icisf.org/covid19-resources/>
- ND HAN Website <http://hanassets.nd.gov/>
- EMS.gov Coronavirus/COVID-19 Resources [https://www.ems.gov/projects/coronavirus\\_covid-19\\_resources.html](https://www.ems.gov/projects/coronavirus_covid-19_resources.html)
- COVID-19 Peak Predictions <https://covid19.healthdata.org/projections>

Our most sincere gratitude and appreciation for all you do for all of us every day!!